

**“Top Issues” Identified by RAP Members – At November 14 2012 Meeting**

<b><u>Issue(s)</u></b>
Local government options
Non Bay issues
Trading
Maximize availability of credits
Local government options
Baseline data/local water quality
Predictable program
Incentives for market participation
Clear process that brings reductions to market
Predictability
Transparency of exchange/Funding – how to pay for
Workable program – concerns that there will be no desire to participate/How far will credits travel – outside of the watershed?
Credit quality/Certainty/Ongoing verification/Practice and performance
Credit Certification
Credit Calculation methodology/Baselines/Additionality
Predictability/Consistency in application and rules for use
Workable options for agriculture community/How practices can be used
How trading will help achieve Bay restoration goals